GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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Centres for Differently Abled
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Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of centres/institutes working for the upliftment of differently persons in the country, State/UT-wise;

(b) the amount of financial assistance allocated and released by the Government to these centres during each of the last three years and the current year;

(c) the total number of persons benefited through these centres during said period;

(d) whether any complaints have been received by the Government regarding misutilisation of fund during the said period; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and the action taken thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
(SHRI KRISHANPAL GURJAR)

(a) There are seven National Institutes (NIs), 257 District Disability Rehabilitation Centres (DDRCs) and eight Composite Regional Centres (CRCs) working for the upliftment of differently persons in various States. Recently Government has approved CRC at Rajnandgaon in Chhattisgarh and CRC at Nellore in Andhra Pradesh. Other than that, under Deendayal Upadhyaya Rehabilitation Scheme (DDRS) Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs), who are working in this field as per the scheme, are provided with financial assistance.
(b) The details of funds allocated and released to National Institutes and CRCs during last three years and current year are given at Annexure-I. State wise and year wise funds released to DDRC are given at Annexure II. State-wise financial assistance provided under DDRS Scheme are at Annexure-III.

(c) Number of persons benefited by the National Institutes and CRCs during last three years and current year is given at Annexure-IV. Number of persons state-wise benefited under DDRS in the last three years and current year is given at Annexure-V. DDRC covers the entire district. The list of the beneficiaries is not maintained centrally.
(d) & (e) there is proper complaint redressal machinery to handle various complaints received in this Ministry. Action as per the guidelines of Central Vigilance Commission (CVC), Central Civil Services (CCS) (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules and Central Civil Services (CCS) (Conduct) Rules is taken wherever applicable

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